

Message Text

SECRET

PAGE 01 MADRID 00335 142151Z

ACTION NODS-00

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 /001 W

-----142153Z 048369 /62

O 142128Z JAN 77

FM AMEMBASSY MADRID

TO SECSTATE WASH DC IMMEDIATE 8596

S E C R E T MADRID 335

NODIS

FOR THE SECRETARY AND ASST SECRETARY HARTMAN ONLY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, RO, SP

SUBJECT: ESTABLISHMENT OF RELATIONS WITH ROMANIA

REF: MADRID 9600

1. IN A BRIEF PRIVATE CHAT WITH THE KING THIS MORNING DURING A RECEPTION FOR THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS, HE TOLD ME IN STRICTEST CONFIDENCE THAT RELATIONS BETWEEN SPAIN AND ROMANIA WOULD BE ESTABLISHED ON JANUARY 21. THIS FACT WAS BEING VERY CLOSELY HELD WITHIN THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT AND THE ROMANIAN GOVERNMENT BECAUSE CEAUSESCU FEARED THAT ANY PREMATURE PUBLICITY MIGHT LEAD TO PRESSURES FROM THE SOVIETS NOT TO ESTABLISH RELATIONS AT THIS TIME.

2. THE KING SAID THAT THE SPANISH MINISTER OF COMMERCE WOULD GO TO ROMANIA THIS WEEK AND IMMEDIATELY UPON HIS RETURN, AT THE END OF THE WEEK, THE SIGNATURE TO ESTABLISH RELATIONS WOULD TAKE PLACE. THE KING ADDED THAT THE SPANISH MINISTER OF COMMERCE WAS NOT AND WOULD NOT BE PRIVY TO THE PLAN TO ESTABLISH RELATIONS.

SECRET

SECRET

PAGE 02 MADRID 00335 142151Z

3. I TOLD THE KING THAT I HAD A MESSAGE FOR HIM FROM THE SECRETARY AND HE SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE ME EITHER SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, OR MONDAY, JANUARY 17. STABLER

SECRET

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS ESTABLISHMENT, DIPLOMATIC DISCUSSIONS, CAT-B
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Sent Date: 14-Jan-1977 12:00:00 am
Decaption Date: 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 22 May 2009
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1977MADRID00335
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: FOR THE SECRETARY AND ASST SECRETARY HARTMAN ONLY
Executive Order: GS
Errors: N/A
Expiration:
Film Number: P840083-0238
Format: TEL
From: MADRID
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1977/newtext/t19770151/aaaabste.tel
Line Count: 59
Litigation Code IDs:
Litigation Codes:
Litigation History:
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Message ID: d54371d9-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Office: ACTION NODS
Original Classification: SECRET
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: NODIS, ONLY
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: SECRET
Previous Handling Restrictions: NODIS, ONLY
Reference: 77 MADRID 9600, 76 MADRID 9600
Retention: 0
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 08-Mar-2005 12:00:00 am
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review Media Identifier:
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
SAS ID: 3597968
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: ESTABLISHMENT OF RELATIONS WITH ROMANIA
TAGS: PFOR, PREL, RO, SP, (CARLOS, JUAN)
To: STATE SS MULTIPLE
Type: TE
vdkgvwkey: odb://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS_Docs/d54371d9-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc
Review Markings:
Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
22 May 2009
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009